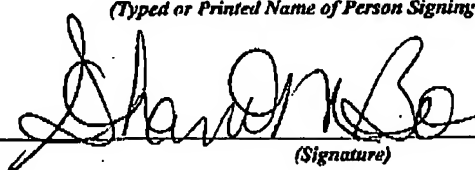


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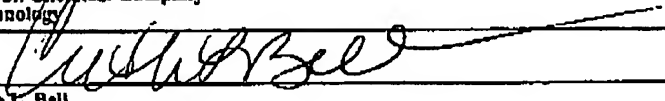
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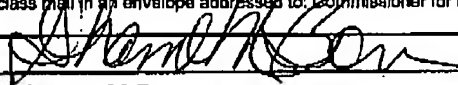
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This amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action dated May 4, 2007, which set a three-month shortened statutory period for response to August 4, 2007 which is a Saturday, making the period for response expire on August 6, 2007. Reconsideration of the application is requested.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

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